

**REMARKS**

Favorable consideration and allowance of the claims of the present application are respectfully requested.

In the present Official Action, Claims 1-30 which are present in the above-captioned application have been subjected to a restriction under 35 U.S.C. §121 as follows:

- I. Claims 1-27, drawn to a method, classified in Class 438, subclass 699; and
- II. Claims 28-30, drawn to a device, classified in Class 438, subclass 288.

As indicated, and in order to be fully responsive to the restriction requirement imposed in the present Official Action, applicants provisionally elect, without traverse, to prosecute the subject matter of Group I, i.e., Claims 1-27, and reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected subject matter in this application, i.e., Claims 28-30.

Wherefore, consideration and allowance of the claims of the present application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



Leslie S. Szivos  
Registration No. 39,394

SCULLY, SCOTT, MURPHY & PRESSER  
400 Garden City Plaza, Suite 300  
Garden City, New York 11530  
(516) 742-4343

LSS:gc